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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of)
Michael R. SONG et al.)
Title: UNIVERSAL KNOWLEDGE INFORMATION)
AND DATA STORAGE SYSTEM)
Serial No.: 10/541,798)
Filed: July 8, 2005)
Examiner: ADAMS, Thomas L.
Art Unit: 2109
Confirmation No.: 4211
(Docket No. 1041-001WOUS)

Middletown, Connecticut, February 13, 2008

VIA FACSIMILE – 571-273-8300
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.121

Dear Sir:

In reference to the above-identified patent application, this is a response to an Office Action having a mailing date of September 13, 2007 and a statutory period for response that expired on December 13, 2007.

A Petition for a two-month Extension of Time filed under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is appended to this Amendment and Reply. The Petition extends the period for response until February 13, 2008. If, for any reason, this Petition should become separated from this Amendment and Reply, the Commissioner is respectfully requested to consider this a petition for any extension of time that is required to maintain the pendency of this patent application. In this event, the Commissioner is also authorized to charge the undersigned attorney's Deposit Account No. 503342 for any fee that may be required to maintain the pendency of this patent application.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this Amendment and Reply.

Remarks in favor of patentability begin on page 9 of this Amendment and Reply.

Exhibit A is attached following page 14 of this Amendment and Reply.